

Council Member introduced the following:

ORDINANCE NUMBER 47.121.17

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 323 (STREETS AND SIDEWALKS) OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF ALBANY IN RELATION TO THE FINES FOR FAILURE TO CLEAR SIDEWALKS OF SNOW AND ICE

The City of Albany, in Common Council convened, does hereby ordain and enact:

Section 1. Section 323-23 (Fine) of Chapter 323 (Streets and Sidewalks) of the Code of the City of Albany is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 323-23 Fine.

A.

Violation of § **323-21** shall be punishable by a fine as follows:

(1)

For a first violation: \$100.

(2)

For a second violation within ~~three months~~ the same calendar year of the first violation: \$200.

(3)

For a third violation within ~~three months~~ the same calendar year of the first violation: \$300.

(4)

Each subsequent violation within ~~six months~~ the same calendar year of the first violation shall result in a fine of \$300.

B.

Said fine shall be in addition to any other provisions for enforcement contained in this chapter.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

November 24, 2017

First Assistant Corporation Counsel

Matter in ~~strike through~~ to be deleted. Matter underlined is new material.

TO: Gerald Campbell, City Clerk

FROM: Marisa Franchini, First Assistant Corporation Counsel

**RE: Request for Common Council Legislation
Supporting Memorandum**

DATE: November 30, 2017

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GENERAL PURPOSE OF LEGISLATION: To amend the existing fine structure.

NECESSITY FOR LEGISLATION AND ANY CHANGE TO EXISTING LAW: This ordinance amends the fine structure for failure to clear the sidewalk.